

MAYOR & COUNCIL AGENDA COVER SHEET

MEETING DATE:

April 9,2007

CALL TO PODIUM:

James D. Arnoult

RESPONSIBLE STAFF:

James D. Arnoult

AGENDA ITEM:

(please check one)

	Presentation
	Proclamation/Certificate
	Appointment
	Public Hearing
	Historic District
	Consent Item
	Ordinance
X	Resolution
	Policy Discussion
	Work Session Discussion Item
	Other:

PUBLIC HEARING HISTORY:

(Please complete this section if agenda item is a public hearing)

Introduced	
Advertised	
Hearing Date	
Record Held Open	
Policy Discussion	

TITLE:

Resolution of the Mayor and City Council Authorizing the City Manager to Enter into a Contract for a Street Reconstruction Project (\$762,000)

SUPPORTING BACKGROUND:

This contract is for the reconstruction of the pavement on Odend'hal Ave between Russell Ave and Lost Knife Rd and Russell Ave. between Odend'hal Ave. and the first entrance into Asbury. The pavement on these streets is exhibiting signs of failure. Pavement testing last year indicated a need for either a four inch pavement overlay or the complete replacement of the pavement and gravel sub-base with a thicker pavement section.

The proposed project will include patching the base failures, and replacement of the concrete curbs and sidewalk to facilitate a four inch overlay. This option is less expensive than the removal and replacement of the entire pavement with a thicker pavement section.

The following bids were received on March 16, 2007:

Romano Concrete Construction	\$ 692,887.70
D & F Construction	\$ 759,297.40
Olney Masonry Corp.	\$ 777,772.50
Concrete General Inc.	\$ 910,508.00
Fort Myer Construction Corp.	\$ 915,100.00
Ross Contracting Inc.	\$ 951,362.00

The staff estimate was \$ 687,444.50

Staff would also like to encumber an additional \$69,112 (approximately 10%) for unforeseen contingencies such as additional patching for a total of \$762,000.

The funding for this project is available in CIP 91-3.

DESIRED OUTCOME:

Vote on Resolution

Resolution No. _____

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A
CONTRACT FOR A STREET RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT

WHEREAS, An invitation to bid for the resurfacing of City streets was duly advertised in the February 28, 2007 issue of the *Gaithersburg Gazette*, and sealed bids were opened and tabulated on March 16, 2007; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council have determined to award a contract for the work to the lowest bidder meeting City specifications; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of Gaithersburg, that the City Manager be and he hereby is authorized to award a contract for street reconstruction to Romano Concrete Construction, Inc., 8970 Maier Place, Laurel, Maryland 20723, in the estimated amount of Seven Hundred Sixty Two Thousand Dollars (\$762,000), said funds to be expended from the Capital Improvement Budget.

ADOPTED by the Mayor and City Council this 9th day of April, 2007.

SIDNEY A. KATZ, MAYOR and
President of the Council

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the foregoing
Resolution was adopted by the City Council
in public meeting assembled on the 9th day
of April, 2007.

David B. Humpton, City Manager